REMARKS

Applicants have thoroughly considered the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated September 14, 2006 and have corrected the previously submitted Amendment to the claims by underlining all added text in amended claims, including claims 3, 12, 16, 17 and 18. Thus, Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments as corrected for reconsideration.

The Applicants wish to expedite prosecution of this application. If the Examiner deems the claims as amended to not be in condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited and encouraged to telephone the undersigned to discuss making an Examiner's amendment to place the claims in condition for allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or overpayment of any required fee during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

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